GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
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FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE FROM INTERNATIONAL AGENCIES
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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the status of the National TB Control Programme;

(b) the allocations made for TB eradication during the current year, State-wise;

(c) whether international funding agencies like World Bank, WHO etc. are lending financial assistance for TB eradicationprogramme; and

(d) if so, the details of financial assistance received from these agencies during each of the last three years?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A. RAJA)

(a) To control Tuberculosis, National TB Control Programmeis in operation since 1962, but with an objective of achieving a cure rate of 85% of new sputum positive cases and to detect at least 70% of such cases, in 1997, Revised National TB Control Programme (RNTCP) was launched, which is beingimplemented in a phased manner. 480 million population has already been covered under the revised strategy. It is envisaged to cover 800 million population by 2004 and whole country by 2005. Under RNTCP, annualized case detection rate at present is 121/ lac as against target of 135/ lac and 50/ lac respectively. Success rate is 84% as against target of 85%.

(b) A statement indicating the state-wise allocation for the current year under the National TB Control programme is given at Annex.-I.

(c) Yes, Sir. RNTCP is being implemented in the country inphased manner under World Bank Project. Department of International Development (DFID) andDanish International Development Agency (DANIDA) are assisting the implementation ofRNTCPi n the State of Andhra Pradesh and Orissa respectively. WHO is providing technical assistance.

(d) Financial assistance is received from concerned agency on the basis of submission of reimbursement claim. First expenditure has to be incurred from Government of India funds and then the same has to be got reimbursed from donor agencies. The amount reimbursed from the above three agencies during the last three years, is as under:

(Rs. in crores)

Agency	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02
World Bank	5.50	85.28	50.52
DFID	-	-	0.9058
DANIDA	-	-	1.1726

Annexure-I

S.No.	State/Union Territory	Allocation
1.	Andman Nicobar	2.23
2.	Bihar	697.27

3.	Chandigarh	9.54
4.	Chhattisgarh	183.56
5.	D&N Haveli	1.48
6.	Daman & Diu	1.48
7	Delhi	146.24
8.	Goa	13.78
9.	Gujarat	536.32
10.	Haryana	179.75
11.	Himachal Pradesh	64.64
12.	Jammu & Kashmir	95.28
13.	Jharkhand	233.91
14.	Karnataka	534.91
15.	Kerala	336.99
16.	Lakshdweep	1.06
17.	Madhya Pradesh	592.09
18.	Maharastra	1025.81
19.	Pondicherry	9.96
20.	Punjab	227.65
21.	Rajasthan	598.74
22.	Tamil Nadu	658.09
23.	Uttar Pradesh	1586.38
24.	Uttaranchal	67.21
25.	West Bengal	849.90
Total (a)		8653.28
Andhra Pradesh		1050
Orissa		450
Total (b)		1500
1	Arunachal Pradesh	15.00
2	Assam	391.77
3	Manipur	30.77
4	Meghalaya	31.74
5	Mizoram	11.82
6	Nagaland	25.84
7	Sikkim	6.41
8	Tripura	33.57
Total (c)		546.72
Total		10700.00

Note : Rs 800 lacs are for Headquarters